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With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the name(s) of:

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entitled:

NON-VOLATILE RECORD MEDIUM, RECORDING METHOD, AND RECORDING APPARATUS

The following are enclosed: X Specification (92 pages) X 29 Sheet(s) of Drawings _ independent claim(s)) 3___ Claim(s) (including _ This application contains a multiple dependent claim \underline{X} Our check for $\underline{$708.00}$, calculated on the basis of the claims as amended by any enclosed preliminary amendment as follows: Number of Independent Claims in excess of 3 at \$78.00 (\$39.00) each: Multiple Dependent Claim Fee at \$260.00 (\$130.00) -0-\$ 708.00 \underline{X} Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney New ___ signed X unsigned Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)) X New Certified copy of each of the following application(s) to substantiate

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